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Perkin-Elmer Corporation Norwalk, Connecticut

Gentlemen:

Please refer to my letter to you of January 5, 1955, which authorized your organization to proceed with the development, manufacture and delivery of certain items of equipment as previously discussed between us and as tentatively described in the memorandum which accompanied such letter.

Inasmuch as it has not been feasible to conclude a definitive agreement to date and to replace the interim authorization with a firm order, and since such interm authorization expires on March 5, 1955, this letter will serve to extend the original authorization for an additional thirty (30) days, or to April 5, 1955. This letter does not increase the amount of the original authorization.

In view of the unforseen delays in the placement of a firm order for the equipment, you may proceed to bill me under our tentative arrangement for such expenses as you have incurred to date on my account.

